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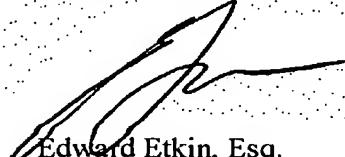
FORMAL RESPONSE FOR: Appl. number 10/044,715

Dear Examiner Nguyen:

Enclosed please find the formal response for the Office Action dated 02/20/2004 for the above-identified Patent Application and long with a petition for a 2 month extension of time and payment of the extension of time fee of \$210 via the Credit Card form.

I would very much appreciate it if you would contact me at 718-648-2122 if there are any questions about the enclosed response.

Very Truly Yours,



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